

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: **FRACEK, JR. ET AL.**

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### **RESPONSE TO 30 JANUARY 2009 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner JA Paul:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated **30 January 2009** Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

#### **SUMMARY OF NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

<b>Claims 1-14</b>	Status of Claims
	Information Disclosure Statement
	Priority Claims to Earlier Filed Application
	Drawings – New Formal Drawings Submitted
	Specification – terms problems
<b>Claims 1-8</b>	101 – claim format
<b>Claims 1-8</b>	112 – indefinite terms
<b>Claims 9 and 11</b>	102 – Recigno
<b>Claims 1 - 8</b>	103 – Recigno + Kersting + Hamlin et al.
<b>Claim 10</b>	103 – Recigno + Official Notice.
<b>Claim 12</b>	103 – Recigno + Hamlin et al.
<b>Claim 13</b>	103 – Kersting + the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) "Overview" 22 July 1997.
<b>Claim 14</b>	103 – Kersting + the Liaison Committee on Medical Education (LCME) "Overview" 22 July 1997 + "A Journey Through the History of The Joint Commission (JCOAH), 1987.